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For: ANION ADSORBING CARBON

MATERIAL, AS WELL AS

MANUFACTURING METHOD AND MANUFACTURING FACILITIES FOR

**SAME** 

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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sirs:

Prior to the examination of the merits of the above-identified application, please amend the above-identified Application as follows: